

J STATE VIRGINIA	COUNTY ALEXANDRIA INDEP. CITY Alexandria		TOWN OR VICINITY 211 N. FAIRFAX ST. 10P 20
INDEX NUMBER VA 7-ALEX 57-	MONUMENT ("TWIN" OR "MARRIED" HOUSES) HABSI Jonah Thompson's Houses		
REPRESENTED IN NEGATIVE FILE	H.A.B.S. SURVEY NO. VA-251	Description: Brick, flemish bond Georgian style. This is one of the superlative buildings of Alexandria and though sadly abused and bereft of much of its original woodwork, remains one of the most interesting and appealing structures to be found.	
PUBLISHED PHOTOGRAPHS			
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620 6-8369		c. 1749 H.E. MARSHBURN (over) 10-444 HISTORIC AMERICAN BUILDINGS SURVEY	

History: Home of Jonah Thompson, an important citizen of Alexandria and prosperous business man. Thompson was shipping, banker, and large property owner. No clue has been located as to why he built in the manner found. All documentary references treat this property as one structure.

References: Gay Montague Moore, Seaport in Virginia, Richmond, 1949, Chap. 3, HABI form, prepared by T. Russell Jones and Worth Bailey, HABS, National Park Service.

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